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### **OSMOSE RELEASES NEW VERSION OF O-CALC PRO® STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS SOFTWARE FOR UTILITY POLES**

TYRONE, Ga. – Osmose Utilities Services, Inc. today released version 5.0 of O-Calc Pro®, its industry-leading structural analysis software for utility poles. This latest version of O-Calc Pro features a number of enhancements designed to allow users to more quickly and accurately perform comprehensive pole loading calculations related to joint use, equipment or line upgrades, system hardening, and pole replacement.

In addition to the full array of wood poles that can be modeled in O-Calc Pro, the software now allows users to directly model manufactured steel poles (rounded and multi-sided), concrete poles, composite poles, and multi-pole structures such as H-frames. Pole components such as steel and fiberglass crossarms and steel cross and v-braces can also be fully modeled. “Utilities continue to use an increasing number of non-wood poles so it’s imperative that software evolves to allow users to accurately model these poles. We are constantly striving to improve the value of the O-Calc Pro system and our services by listening and responding promptly to our utility, telecommunications, and engineering customers” said Mike Rigney, Product Manager at Osmose Utilities Services, Inc.

Other new features of O-Calc Pro 5.0 include an interactive heat map display that allows users to quickly identify overloaded sections of the pole, multiple master and user catalogs that enable users to store and easily reuse assemblies for faster modeling, and integration with GE MapSight™ from ikeGPS that allows users to load MapSight images into O-Calc Pro’s Digital Measurement Technology (DMT – image-based measurement tool) to quickly obtain attachment heights, wire diameters, and other measurements directly from the image.

#### **About Osmose Utilities Services, Inc.**

Osmose provides inspection, life extension and rehabilitation services and products designed to help build resiliency into T&D infrastructure. Osmose also provides corrosion mitigation and engineered repairs for steel structures, structural load analysis, and a variety of turnkey infrastructure enhancement and upgrade solutions. With 80 years of diverse experience as a foundation, Osmose proudly serves America’s utilities as they manage aging infrastructure and build tomorrow’s intelligent utility. [www.osmoseutilities.com](http://www.osmoseutilities.com).